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“I Got Caught” Water Safety Campaign

Carlyle Lake - The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers along with several local businesses are teaming up to reward individuals wearing their lifejackets while recreating at Carlyle Lake. Carlyle Lake Park Rangers will be out on the lake and at the beaches on weekends throughout the summer trying to catch individuals wearing their life jackets!

Individuals found wearing their life jacket while on or in the water may be rewarded with a special “I got caught wearing my life jacket at Carlyle Lake” t-shirt or a coupon for a free ice cream treat. These t-shirts were sponsored by the Clinton County Sheriff’s Department, Isaak Insurance, A Tisket A Tasket, Hardees, Isaak Auto Body Inc., Express Care, Bretz Wildlife Lodge and Winery, Henkel’s Hook and Arrow, Dan’s/Carlyle Meat Market, the Max 96.7fm, 1st National Bank, Carlyle Super Valu, Boat Works, Knotty Pine Inn and Motel, Dairy King, Breese Motor Sales, Excel Bottling Co., Adventure Power Sports, and Kohrmann Electric. In addition, Carlyle Dairy Queen donated 1,000 ice cream cones for school aged children caught on Carlyle Lake on the beaches or boats wearing their lifejackets.

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